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# Annual Report

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HOLDERNESS, N. H.

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STATE LIBRARY



# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

## TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

## TOWN OF HOLDERNESS

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING, FEBRUARY 15, 1899.

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1899.  
PLYMOUTH RECORD PRINT,  
PLYMOUTH, N. H.



## TOWN OFFICERS.

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For the Year 1898.

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*Moderator*—Jason E. Sanborn.

*Town Clerk*—R. P. Curry.

*Treasurer*—R. P. Curry.

*Selectmen*—Alfred Stanley, George R. Piper, Elmer E. Willoughby.

*Collector*—Noah P. Boynton.

*Overseer of Poor*—Frank L. Piper.

*Auditor*—J. W. Pulsifer.

*Superintendent of Cemeteries*—R. P. Curry.

*Constables*—Almon W. Smith, H. A. Crawford.

*Fish and Game Wardens*—Ira M. Jones, Geo. R. Piper.

*Road Agents*—E. B. Lowd, Harrison Mudgett, H. P. Batchelder.

*School Board*—R. P. Curry, Jason E. Sanborn, Winnie L. Willoughby.

*Treasurer of School Board*—Mrs. Sadie S. Whitton.

*Librarian*—Sadie L. Perkins.

*Library Trustees*—R. P. Curry.

## INVENTORY.

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Valuation of Town as by Inventory taken April 1, 1898.

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|                              |              |
|------------------------------|--------------|
| 174 Polls,                   | \$ 17,400 00 |
| Resident real estate,        | 141,186 00   |
| Non-resident real estate,    | 60,234 00    |
| 208 horses,                  | 8,952 00     |
| 1 ass,                       | 10 00        |
| 43 oxen,                     | 2,318 00     |
| 327 cows,                    | 7,502 00     |
| 87 neat stock,               | 1,604 00     |
| 317 sheep,                   | 886 00       |
| 13 carriages,                | 820 00       |
| Stock in trade,              | 4,530 00     |
| Money at interest,           | 2,800 00     |
| Mills and machinery,         | 800 00       |
| Stock in state corporations, | 100 00       |
|                              | <hr/>        |
| Total valuation,             | \$249,142 00 |

# REPORT.

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## Amount of Money Raised by Taxes in 1898.

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|                                |                   |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| State tax,                     | \$ 420 75         |
| County tax,                    | 536 16            |
| School money required by law,  | 495 00            |
| Amount voted in excess,        | 500 00            |
| Town expenses,                 | 500 00            |
| Highways,                      | 1,868 57          |
| Text books and other supplies, | 75 00             |
| Library,                       | 15 00             |
| Amount of overlay,             | 74 08             |
|                                | <hr/> \$ 4,484 56 |

We have drawn orders on the town treasurer as follows:

### SCHOOLS.

|  |                  |
|--|------------------|
| Amount required by law,                | \$ 495 00        |
| Amount voted in excess,                | 500 00           |
| Dog money not used for other purposes, | 94 84            |
| Literary fund,                         | 72 00            |
|  | <hr/> \$1,161 84 |

|                                   |            |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Orders given to Sadie S. Whitton, | \$1,161 84 |
|-----------------------------------|------------|

### HIGHWAYS.

|                                   |                  |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| Balance unexpended from 1897,     | \$ 258 79        |
| Tax raised in 1898,               | 1,868 57         |
|                                   | <hr/> \$2,127 36 |
| Orders to E. B. Lowd, road agent, | \$1,001 98       |

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Orders to H. P. Batchelder, road agent, | \$ 543 96  |
| Orders to Harrison Mudgett, " "         | 529 47     |
| Unexpended highway balance,             | 51 95      |
|   | <hr/>      |
|   | \$2,127 36 |

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#### PUBLIC WATERING TROUGHS.

|                                    |         |
|------------------------------------|---------|
| Nathan A. Smith for 1896 and 1897, | \$ 2 00 |
| Almore W. Smith for 1898,          | 1 00    |
| W. E. Hawkins, "                   | 2 00    |
| S. J. Hawkins, "                   | 2 00    |
| Nahum B. Shaw, "                   | 2 00    |
| Marcus M. Sargent, "               | 1 50    |
|                                    | <hr/>   |
|                                    | \$10 50 |

|  |         |
|--|---------|
| Orders given Frank L. Piper, overseer, | \$36 05 |
|--|---------|

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#### SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS.

|                      |         |
|----------------------|---------|
| Horace F. Greenleaf, | \$ 4 00 |
| Curtis G. Bump,      | 10 00   |
|                      | <hr/>   |
|                      | \$14 00 |

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#### NOTES PAID.

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Pemigewasset National Bank, notes and interest, | \$1,254 77 |
|---|------------|

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#### TAXES PAID.

|             |           |
|-------------|-----------|
| State tax,  | \$ 420 75 |
| County tax, | 536 16    |
|             | <hr/>     |
|             | \$956 91  |

### SALARIES.

|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| Alfred Stanley, selectman,                        | \$ 60 00       |
| Geo. R. Piper,           “                        | 50 00          |
| Elmer E. Willoughby, selectman,                   | 50 00          |
| R. P. Curry, clerk and treasurer,                 | 50 00          |
| “       “       district clerk,                   | 5 00           |
| “       “       member of school board,           | 10 00          |
| Winnie E. Willoughby, member of school board,     | 26 00          |
| Jason E. Sanborn,           “           “       “ | 25 00          |
| Sadie S. Whitton, treasurer,                      | 16 00          |
| W. F. P. Berry, moderator,                        | 5 00           |
| Frank L. Piper, overseer of poor,                 | 15 00          |
| H. A. Crawford, constable,                        | 23 00          |
| N. P. Boynton, collector, .                       | 85 00          |
| “       “       supervisor,                       | 2 00           |
| Ira M. Jones,           “                         | 12 00          |
| “       “       health officer,                   | 2 25           |
| J. W. Pulsifer, supervisor,                       | 7 50           |
| W. Scott Rodgers,       “                         | 12 00          |
| Sadie J. Perkins, librarian,                      | 40 00          |
| Darius B. Evans, janitor,                         | 10 51          |
| John Baker, ballot clerk,                         | 2 00           |
| Chas. W. Palmer, services as constable,           | 2 00           |
| James M. Sargent,       “           “             | 2 00           |
| Horace J. Bennett,       “           “            | 2 00           |
| Jason E. Sanborn, moderator,                      | 2 00           |
| Almore W. Smith, constable,                       | 1 50           |
|   | <hr/> \$517 76 |

### MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| R. P. Curry, invoice and record books, | \$ 16 90 |
| Chase & Wright, town reports,          | 32 65    |
| M. M. Sargent, horse feed,             | 2 00     |
| Smith Piper, board for town officers,  | 6 25     |

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| Samuel E. Marston, breaking roads in 1896,                   | \$ 16 05 |
| Smith Piper, book case for library,                          | 12 00    |
| James L. Wilson, insuring town house for 1898,               | 12 00    |
| “ “ “ road machine and house,                                | 4 50     |
| John L. Merrill, labor on Capt. Craig water pipes,           | 4 50     |
| Henry H. Thompson, damage to carriage,                       | 45       |
| Ira M. Cox, overpaid tax,                                    | 1 90     |
| Nathan B. Whitten, school supplies,                          | 97 84    |
| Town of Plymouth, lighting bridge three years,               | 30 00    |
| Dexter Sanborn, illegal tax sale of Fannie<br>Charnley land, | 4 68     |
| R. P. Curry, vital statistics,                               | 10 40    |
| “ “ use of library building,                                 | 12 00    |
| Notifying selectmen and jurors,                              | 5 00     |
| Postage and stationery,                                      | 78       |
| Revenue stamps,  | 70       |
| Howe & Harrington, painting signs,                           | 1 50     |
| E. C. Bennett, guide posts,                                  | 1 75     |
| Frank L. Piper, keeping tramps,                              | 3 00     |
| Elmer E. Willoughby, cash expenses,                          | 3 50     |
| Geo. R. Piper, “ “   | 3 25     |
| Caleb M. Ames, Craig water line,                             | 5 18     |
| N. P. Boynton, counsel fee, postage and stationery,          | 4 00     |
|  | <hr/>    |
|  | \$292 78 |

## SELECTMEN IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN.

### DR.

|   |       |    |             |
|---|-------|----|-------------|
| Cash in hands treasurer Feb. 15, 1898, \$ | 59    | 86 |             |
| Taxes in hands F. P. Heath for            |       |    |             |
| 1895 and 1896,                            | 268   | 99 |             |
| Taxer in hands N. P. Boynton              |       |    |             |
| for 1897,                                 | 357   | 27 |             |
| Taxes assessed in 1898,                   | 4,484 | 56 |             |
| Cash in hands F. P. Heath                 |       |    |             |
| Feb. 15, 1898,                            | 10    | 89 |             |
| Tax abated Feb. 15, 1898 afterward        |       |    |             |
| collected,                                | 4     | 14 |             |
|   |       |    | \$ 5,185 71 |

### Received from state treasurer:

|                   |      |    |           |
|-------------------|------|----|-----------|
| Railroad tax,     | \$ 6 | 54 |           |
| Savings bank tax, | 223  | 21 |           |
| Literary fund,    | 72   | 00 |           |
|                   |      |    | \$ 301 75 |

|                                  |       |    |             |
|----------------------------------|-------|----|-------------|
| Received for dog license,        | \$129 | 58 |             |
| " from county commissioners,     | 30    | 77 |             |
| " note to Pemigewasset           |       |    |             |
| National Bank,                   | 1,300 | 00 |             |
| " Alvin Burleigh, fines imposed, | 5     | 00 |             |
|                                  |       |    | \$ 1,465 35 |
|                                  |       |    | \$6,952 81  |

### CR.

|                    |        |    |
|--------------------|--------|----|
| By paid state tax, | \$ 420 | 75 |
| " county tax,      | 536    | 16 |
| " school board,    | 1,161  | 84 |

|  |             |             |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| By paid highway agents,                | \$ 2,075 41 |             |
| “ water troughs,                       | 10 50       |             |
| “ overseer of poor,                    | 36 05       |             |
| “ notes and interest,                  | 1,254 77    |             |
| “ sheep killed by dogs,                | 14 00       |             |
| “ miscellaneous expenses,              | 292 78      |             |
| “ salaries,                            | 517 76      |             |
| Cash in hands F. P. Heath Feb. 1899,   | 10 89       |             |
| Balance uncollected F. P. Heath,       | 134 37      |             |
| Receipts found by “ “                  | 85 21       |             |
| Taxes in hands N. P. Boynton for 1898, | 247 57      |             |
| Abatements for 1898,                   | 14 14       |             |
| “ 1897,                                | 3 39        |             |
| Cash in treasury to balance,           | 137 22      |             |
|  | <hr/>       | \$ 6,952 81 |

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

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### ASSETS FEB. 15, 1899.

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Uncollected taxes 1895 and 1896,         | \$134 37   |
| Cash in hands of F. P. Heath, collector, | 16 55  |
| Due on land bid off by town for taxes,   | 49 96  |
| Due from state for bear bounty,          | 5 00   |
| Uncollected taxes for 1898,              | 247 57   |
| Cash in treasury,                        | 137 22   |
|  | <hr style="width: 10%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$590 67 |

### LIABILITIES.

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Due town of Campton for 1-8 repairs    |  |
| on Livermore bridge,                   | \$123 80   |
| Due in E. B. Loud's district for       |  |
| winter bills,                          | 20 78  |
| W. E. Hawkins, trustee bill,           | 33 00  |
| Note to Pemigewasset Bank,             | 100 00   |
|  | <hr style="width: 10%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$277 58 |
| Balance in town above all liabilities, | \$323 09   |

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## TREASURER'S REPORT.

### DR.

|                                     |          |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Cash to balance from last year, .   | \$ 59 86 |
| Rec'd from town clerk, dog license, | 129 58   |
| “ “ county pauper account,          | 30 77    |

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Rec'd from selectmen, amount of railroad tax, |            |
| savings bank tax and literary                 |            |
| fund,   | \$ 301 75  |
| " " Alvin Burleigh, fine imposed on Perley    |            |
| Calley for drunkenness,                       | 5 00       |
| " " Pemigewasset National Bank on notes,      | 1,300 00   |
| " " Frank P. Heath, collector 1895, 1896,     | 49 41      |
| " " Noah P. Boynton, collector 1897, 1898,    | 4,580 87   |
|   | <hr/>      |
|   | \$6,457 24 |

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|                              |            |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Paid selectmen's orders,     | \$6,320 02 |
| Cash in treasury to balance, | 137 22     |
|                              | <hr/>      |
|                              | \$6,457 24 |

## ROAD AGENTS' REPORTS.

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E. B. Lowd in Account with the Town of Holderness.

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1898.

Received of town treasurer, \$1,001 98

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### EXPENDITURES.

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Mar. 28, Perley E. Shaw, | \$ 14 70 |
| 29, Lewis E. Brown,      | 9 00     |
| Wm. H. Shaw,             | 5 69     |
| Henry J. Corser,         | 8 49     |
| James A. Benton,         | 8 92     |
| Arthur O. Knowles,       | 8 09     |
| R. D. Huckins,           | 9 45     |
| 30, Henry Low,           | 7 05     |
| H. H. Drew,              | 1 95     |
| Warren B. Worthen,       | 19 41    |
| John Crawford and son,   | 5 80     |
| Charles Drew,            | 5 55     |
| Myron and Ai T. Carr,    | 13 55    |
| Joshua M. Benton,        | 10 42    |
| 31, H. A. Crawford,      | 25 60    |
| Warren Ames,             | 18 00    |
| C. S. Greenleaf,         | 14 75    |
| Warren Ames,             | 5 25     |
| J. H. Evans,             | 4 35     |
| S. A. Newton,            | 3 93     |
| G. H. Merrill,           | 1 42     |
| John Fields,             | 6 06     |
| G. R. Tucker,            | 3 30     |
| C. W. Palmer,            | 9 30     |
| Apr. 2, C. P. Drew,      | 3 90     |
| 5, N. P. Boynton,        | 16 91    |

|          |  |          |
|----------|--|----------|
| Apr. 15, | E. B. Lowd,                            | \$ 12 08 |
| 20,      | “ “                                    | 34 35    |
| July 1,  | Wyman G. Drew,                         | 10 00    |
|          | R. D. Huckins,                         | 20 00    |
| 2,       | A. O. Knowles,                         | 12 20    |
|          | G. R. Tucker,                          | 3 30     |
|          | P. E. Shaw,                            | 5 00     |
|          | “ “                                    | 2 50     |
|          | H. B. Greenlief,                       | 30 00    |
|          | James A. Benton,                       | 20 00    |
|          | J. M. Benton,                          | 10 00    |
|          | Lewis A. Evans,                        | 1 35     |
| 4,       | George W. Huckins,                     | 7 40     |
|          | John Harran,                           | 4 00     |
| 13,      | N. P. Boynton,                         | 3 00     |
| 14,      | A. W. Smith,                           | 7 63     |
|          | P. S. Burleigh, plank and summer work, | 14 00    |
|          | P. S. Burleigh, winter 1898,           | 21 00    |
|          | F. W. Ellison,                         | 5 80     |
|          | J. B. Huckins,                         | 3 90     |
|          | H. C. Smith,                           | 2 85     |
|          | C. M. Ames,                            | 12 00    |
| 19,      | C. W. Cummings,                        | 2 75     |
| 22,      | W. G. Drew,                            | 2 75     |
| 28,      | C. S. Greenlief,                       | 1 00     |
| Aug. 1,  | F. E. Morse,                           | 6 60     |
| 8,       | Henry Low,                             | 3 60     |
| 15,      | A. A. Huckins,                         | 2 40     |
| 18,      | L. E. Brown,                           | 5 00     |
| 19,      | R. D. Huckins,                         | 2 00     |
| 23,      | “ “                                    | 10 00    |
| 25,      | James A. Benton,                       | 3 00     |
|          | E. B. Lowd, 550 feet plank,            | 6 50     |
| 26,      | “ “                                    | 8 62     |
| Apr. 6,  | Two hoes,                              | 75       |
|          | Books and oil,                         | 75       |

|          |                             |          |
|----------|-----------------------------|----------|
| Oct. 20, | R. D. Huckins,              | \$ 11 75 |
|          | W. A. Hawkins,              | 9 00     |
| 21,      | P. E. Shaw,                 | 4 25     |
| 22,      | J. W. Pulsifer, winter, 12, | 25 50    |
|          | James A. Benton,            | 4 00     |
|          | L. E. Brown,                | 8 50     |
|          | S. C. Worthen,              | 60       |
| 24,      | H. H. Huckins,              | 6 00     |
|          | H. B. Greenlief,            | 12 60    |
| 25,      | C. M. Ames,                 | 15 00    |
|          | John L. Merrill,            | 7 90     |
|          | M. C. Mudgett,              | 2 25     |
|          | C. P. Drew, N. P. Boynton,  | 4 05     |
|          | N. P. Boynton,              | 6 00     |
|          | W. B. Ames, N. P. Boynton,  | 1 50     |
|          | J. G. Moulton,              | 1 50     |
|          | Horace Hill,                | 6 00     |
|          | G. H. Merrill,              | 4 50     |
|          | Eugene Merrill,             | 1 50     |
| 12,      | H. J. Corser,               | 1 05     |
| 14,      | Nathan Hanson,              | 2 00     |
|          | C. T. Wilson,               | 1 70     |
|          | W. B. Worthen, winter 1898, | 1 20     |
|          | J. M. Benton, winter 1898,  | 10 55    |
| 19,      | H. C. Huckins,              | 2 25     |
|          | A. T. Carr,                 | 2 25     |
|          | E. B. Lowd, 330 feet plank, | 3 63     |
|          | “ “ timber for two bridges, | 2 50     |
|          | F. E. Morse, for spikes,    | 40       |
| Nov. 8,  | G. R. Tucker,               | 1 50     |
| Aug. 20, | E. B. Lowd,                 | 60 00    |
| Dec. 19, | “ “                         | 13 35    |

# BREAKING WINTER ROADS.

1899.

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Feb. 15, A. T. Carr,                    | \$ 19 16   |
| J. E. Sanborn,                          | 17 85      |
| P. E. Shaw,                             | 17 00      |
| Charles Palmer,                         | 8 63       |
| C. E. Merrill,                          | 1 58       |
| Nathan Hanson,                          | 3 00       |
| L. E. French,                           | 4 67       |
| A. Hunt,                                | 4 02       |
| P. S. Burleigh,                         | 19 60      |
| John L. Merrill,                        | 6 62       |
| C. M. Drew,                             | 60         |
| A. O. Knowles,                          | 2 40       |
| George Huckins,                         | 3 00       |
| G. R. Tucker,                           | 44         |
| L. E. Brown,                            | 5 85       |
| W. H. Shaw,                             | 2 21       |
| G. H. Merrill,                          | 1 50       |
| Lewis Evans,                            | 3 30       |
| C. M. Ames,                             | 12 45      |
| J. B. Huckins,                          | 2 55       |
| P. S. Burleigh,                         | 2 00       |
| Thomas Wilson,                          | 1 05       |
| H. C. Smith,                            | 3 00       |
| H. A. Moulton,                          | 6 63       |
| H. B. Greenleaf,                        | 2 40       |
| C. P. Drew,                             | 5 16       |
| Frank Ellison,                          | 2 58       |
| Henry Low,                              | 7 65       |
| E. B. Lowd, from Aug. 17, 1898 to date, | 46 95      |
| W. B. Ames,                             | 5 55       |
| Smith Worthen,                          | 45         |
| N. P. Boynton,                          | 8 83       |
|   | <hr/>      |
|   | \$1,001 98 |

## H. P. Batchelder, Road Agent.

In Account with Town of Holderness, 1898-99.

Received of town treasurer, \$543 96

### EXPENDITURES.

1898.

|          |                                    |         |
|----------|------------------------------------|---------|
| Mar. 29, | Geo. R. Piper, breaking highway,   | \$ 8 25 |
|          | Ira M. Jones, order J. W. Averill, | 9 92    |
|          | “ “ labor on highway,              | 4 87    |
| Apr. 5,  | H. S. Buzzell, “ “                 | 5 03    |
|          | N. P. Boynton, order M. P. Baker,  | 5 33    |
|          | L. G. Bush, breaking highway,      | 3 40    |
| 6,       | N. B. Cox, “ “                     | 4 65    |
|          | D. W. Eastman, “ “                 | 9 90    |
|          | C. G. Burleigh, “ “                | 2 18    |
| 7,       | Nathan Smith, “ “                  | 1 50    |
| 12,      | Leroy M. Beatty, “ “               | 6 75    |
| 16,      | Frank L. Piper, “ “                | 75      |
|          | Ira M. Jones, “ “                  | 45      |
|          | Matthew C. Piper, “ “              | 3 50    |
|          | Charles W. Piper, “ “              | 4 00    |
| 26,      | Frank G. Cummings, “ “             | 9 00    |
| May 28,  | Jacob Blake, “ “                   | 2 35    |
| June 14, | Ai T. Carr, labor on highway,      | 3 00    |
| 25,      | W. L. Watson, making brace,        | 40      |
| July 15, | N. B. Cox, labor on highway,       | 12 37   |
|          | “ “ order Frank N. Boynton,        | 6 00    |
| 20,      | Curtis C. Howe, labor on highway,  | 75      |
|          | Allen L. Howe, “ “                 | 26 70   |
| 25,      | Charles R. Cox, “ “                | 17 95   |
|          | Frank L. Piper, “ “                | 11 70   |
|          | Frank O. Marsh, “ “                | 11 70   |
|          | J. T. Sinclair, “ “                | 5 10    |

|           |                                      |         |
|-----------|--------------------------------------|---------|
| July 25,  | Charles C. Piper, labor on highway,  | \$ 1 65 |
|           | Chas. L. Dinsmore, " "               | 3 00    |
|           | S. D. Merrill, " "                   | 3 75    |
|           | Jacob Blake, " "                     | 1 50    |
|           | Alvin Grenoue, " "                   | 2 77    |
|           | Horace Huntress, " "                 | 3 15    |
|           | Edward Scruton, " "                  | 8 39    |
|           | C. G. Burleigh, " "                  | 6 00    |
|           | Roscoe Hilliard, " "                 | 2 00    |
|           | D. W. Eastman, " "                   | 7 20    |
|           | Leroy M. Beatty, " "                 | 7 50    |
|           | H. P. Batchelder, " "                | 48 81   |
| Aug. 5,   | T. E. Hawkins, " "                   | 21 15   |
|           | Geo. W. Marden, " "                  | 3 00    |
|           | W. H. Berry, 521 ft. plank,          | 6 25    |
|           | Oliver Brown, labor on highway,      | 3 00    |
| 8,        | Ira M. Jones, " "                    | 10 80   |
|           | H. S. Buzzell, " "                   | 3 00    |
| 9,        | Jas. H. Thompson, " "                | 4 20    |
|           | Kesumpe Lumber Co., 1,708 ft. plank, | 22 20   |
| 25,       | Horace Greenleaf, labor on highway,  | 17 40   |
| Sept. 16, | S. B. Morse, " "                     | 6 15    |
| 26,       | T. B. Sanborn, two spades,           | 1 20    |
|           | N. B. Whitten, three pound spikes,   |         |
|           | can axle paste,                      | 40      |
|           | A. R. York, labor on highway,        | 4 50    |
| 28,       | Oliver Brown, " "                    | 4 04    |
|           | Bennie Piper, " "                    | 97      |
| Oct. 4,   | L. F. Shaw, " "                      | 50      |
| Nov. 11,  | H. S. Buzzell, " "                   | 1 20    |
| 17,       | C. H. Davison, " "                   | 1 50    |
| 21,       | Ira M. Jones, " "                    | 2 25    |
| 1899.     |                                      |         |
| Jan. 23,  | Geo. R. Piper, " "                   | 9 90    |
| Feb. 6,   | Mark Marden, " "                     | 75      |

|                      |                   |          |
|----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Feb. 15, L. F. Shaw, | labor on highway, | \$ 3 38  |
| Nathan B. Cox,       | " "               | 2 21     |
| Frank S. Smith,      | " "               | 2 25     |
| D. W. Eastman        | " "               | 11 25    |
| Oliver Brown,        | " "               | 9 23     |
| J. O. Scruton,       | " "               | 11 70    |
| Frank M. Hilliard,   | " "               | 10 80    |
| Fred Hilliard,       | " "               | 8 18     |
| Horace Huntress,     | " "               | 2 15     |
| Alvin Greene,        | " "               | 1 95     |
| Jacob Blake,         | " "               | 2 63     |
| Charles W. Piper,    | " "               | 4 03     |
| Henry H. Piper,      | " "               | 90       |
| L. G. Bush,          | " "               | 3 15     |
| Wm. Helmes,          | " "               | 2 70     |
| H. P. Batchelder,    | " "               | 16 35    |
| H. S. Buzzell,       | " "               | 3 00     |
| John Perkins,        | " "               | 2 10     |
| C. H. Roberts,       | " "               | 7 85     |
| Frank Piper,         | " "               | 3 60     |
| F. O. Marsh,         | " "               | 2 25     |
| I. H. Smith,         | " "               | 75       |
| Frank H. Wilder,     | " "               | 2 70     |
| Ira M. Jones,        | " "               | 6 45     |
| J. B. Averill,       | " "               | 1 35     |
| Arthur S. Roberts,   | " "               | 2 70     |
| George R. Piper,     | " "               | 4 50     |
| Ben W. Piper,        | " "               | 1 80     |
| Roy Beatty,          | " "               | 4 40     |
| Smith Morse,         | " "               | 5 57     |
| John H. Perkins,     | " "               | 2 55     |
| Clarence S. Perkins, | " "               | 1 85     |
|                      |                   | <hr/>    |
|                      |                   | \$543 96 |

## Harrison Mudgett, Road Agent.

In Account with Town of Holderness, 1898-99.

Received of R. P. Curry for paying road bills, \$529 47

### EXPENDITURES.

|          |                      |          |
|----------|----------------------|----------|
| Apr. 8,  | Allen L. Howe,       | \$ 11 82 |
|          | A. B. Willoughby,    | 75       |
|          | John P. Howe,        | 4 05     |
|          | B. F. Jewell,        | 11 40    |
|          | Horace T. Greenleaf, | 9 00     |
| 9,       | Moses Pickering,     | 90       |
|          | A. L. Sargent,       | 3 00     |
|          | S. E. Marston,       | 1 80     |
| 18,      | John Lee,            | 5 70     |
|          | R. L. Flanders,      | 1 35     |
| 20,      | D. E. Wallace,       | 1 87     |
| 30,      | E. J. Sleeper,       | 34 40    |
| May 16,  | Harrison Mudgett,    | 13 00    |
| Jun. 2,  | A. T. Carr,          | 6 75     |
| 4,       | G. W. Marden,        | 7 80     |
| 28,      | Samuel Berry,        | 6 00     |
| July 2,  | A. L. Sargent,       | 8 25     |
|          | James A. Benton,     | 14 25    |
|          | Allen L. Howe,       | 36 95    |
| 4,       | Willis H. Smith,     | 15 00    |
| 18,      | George Huckins,      | 2 25     |
|          | Chester P. Hunt,     | 2 25     |
| 19,      | Arthur Knowles,      | 4 50     |
| Aug. 25, | Moses Pickering,     | 8 25     |
| 28,      | John P. Howe,        | 13 50    |
|          | Caleb Evans,         | 10 50    |
|          | Kesumpe Lumber Co.,  | 10 41    |

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Oct. 15, G. W. Marden,                  | \$ 7 95  |
| Darius B. Evans,                        | 12 75    |
| Nov. 8, B. B. Willoughby,               | 11 00    |
| Oct. 11, T. B. Sanborn,                 | 8 68     |
| Wm. B. Lowe,                            | 4 26     |
| Nov. 11, L. S. Frost,                   | 3 00     |
| 14, Charles Greenleaf,                  | 6 00     |
| 15, W. M. Wallace,                      | 3 75     |
| G. B. M. Wallace,                       | 3 75     |
| Dec. 2, J. Jewell,                      | 6 00     |
| 19, Tilden Evans,                       | 1 77     |
| 1899.                                   |          |
| Jan. 30, Daniel H. Willoughby,          | 3 00     |
| Feb. 12, Horace Greenleaf,              | 44 50    |
| Harrison Mudgett,                       | 46 50    |
| 12, Horace Greenleaf, for bridge plank, | 5 00     |
| 14, Allen L. Howe,                      | 16 57    |
| J. S. Davison,                          | 3 80     |
| L. W. Mooney,                           | 2 55     |
| John P. Howe,                           | 8 50     |
| Wm. Lowe,                               | 5 84     |
| Adan L. Sargent,                        | 3 60     |
| D. E. Wallace,                          | 7 12     |
| G. B. M. Wallace,                       | 31 50    |
| Moses Pickering,                        | 8 55     |
| Horace T. Greenleaf,                    | 10 05    |
| Benj. B. Willoughby,                    | 11 18    |
| John Lee,                               | 6 60     |
|   | <hr/>    |
|   | \$529 46 |

HARRISON MUDGETT, *Road Agent.*

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

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### DR.

|                                  |          |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| Cash received of town treasurer, | \$ 36 05 |
|----------------------------------|----------|

### CR.

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Paid Haven Palmer, medical aid to         |          |
| Mrs. John Fields,                         | \$ 12 00 |
| " T. B. Sanborn, supplies for Geo. Baker, | 7 34     |
| " " " " Mrs. John Fields,                 | 68       |
| " F. E. Morse, supplies to Eva Trask,     | 10 75    |
| " Perley E. Shaw, justice fees,           | 1 50     |
| " W. E. Hawkins, hay for Ira Cox,         | 2 80     |
| Cash on hand to balance,                  | 98       |
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|   | \$36 05  |

FRANK L. PIPER, *Overseer of Poor.*

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## CEMETERY AGENT'S REPORT.

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No business transacted.

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| Amount in agent's hands same as reported |         |
| last year,                               | \$20 46 |

R. P. CURRY, *Agent.*

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## LIBRARY TRUSTEE'S REPORT.

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|   |       |
|---|-------|
| Number of volumes in library Feb. 15, 1898, | 1,215 |
| " added since,                              | 65    |
|   | <hr/> |
| Total number Feb. 15, 1899,                 | 1,280 |
| Number of books taken out during year 1898, | 1,566 |

### RECEIPTS.

|                                 |         |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| Balance on hand from last year, | \$8 62  |
| Received from fines,            | 2 96    |
|                                 | <hr/>   |
|                                 | \$11 58 |

### EXPENDED.

|                                   |         |
|-----------------------------------|---------|
| For books,                        | \$2 97  |
| “ library cards,                  | 2 73    |
| “ incidentals,                    | 28      |
|                                   | <hr/>   |
|                                   | \$ 5 98 |
| Amount on hand,                   | \$ 5 60 |
| “ due on appropriation from town, | 15 00   |

R. P. CURRY, *Trustee.*

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## COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

Noah P. Boynton in Account with Town of Holderness.

1897.

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### DR.

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Amount uncollected Feb. 15, 1898,       | \$357 27 |
| Received on taxes abated Feb. 15, 1898, | 4 14     |
|   | <hr/>    |
|   | \$361 41 |

### CR.

|                                   |          |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Paid R. P. Curry, town treasurer, | \$353 88 |
| “ “ “ on taxes abated,            | 4 14     |
|                                   | <hr/>    |
|                                   | \$358 02 |
| Abatements Feb. 15, 1899,         | 3 39     |
|                                   | <hr/>    |
|                                   | \$361 41 |

## COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR 1898.

### DR.

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Whole amount resident and non-resident taxes<br>committed for collection, | \$4,484 56 |
|---|------------|

### CR.

|                                   |            |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Paid R. P. Curry, town treasurer, | \$4,222 85 |
| Abatements,                       | 14 14      |
|                                   | <hr/>      |
|                                   | \$4,236 99 |
| Amount uncollected Feb. 15, 1899, | 247 57     |
|                                   | <hr/>      |
|                                   | \$4,484 56 |

Respectfully submitted,

NOAH P. BOYNTON, *Collector.*

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## SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

Sadie S. Whitten, in Account with the Holderness School  
District, 1898.

|                                 |            |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| Balance from 1897,              | \$ 2 81    |
| Received of selectmen,          | 1,161 84   |
| Received from town of Sandwich, | 2 50       |
|                                 | <hr/>      |
|                                 | \$1,167 15 |
| Orders drawn by school board,   | \$1,107 83 |
| Cash on hand to balance,        | 59 32      |
|                                 | <hr/>      |
|                                 | \$1,167 15 |

Respectfully submitted,

SADIE S. WHITTEN, *Treasurer.*

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

In Account with Town of Holderness for the Year 1898.

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Received of dog license,                    | \$ 94 84   |
| "    literary fund,                         | 72 00      |
| "    tuition from town of Sandwich,         | 2 50       |
| Vote of town,                               | 500 00     |
| Required by law,                            | 495 00     |
| Received of school treasurer, balance 1897, | 2 81       |
|   | \$1,167 15 |

### EXPENDITURES.

1898.

|         |   |       |
|---------|---|-------|
| May 7,  | Alphonzo Brown, fitting wood at<br>E. Holderness school house,            | \$ 50 |
| 16,     | Harry Leavitt, labor and material on<br>Bridge and Coxboro school houses, | 5 50  |
|         | Geo. Wallace, conveying from<br>Ashland to E. C. Bennett's,               | 1 00  |
| June 2, | Alice M. Paine, teaching five weeks,                                      | 25 00 |
| 3,      | Eva Sargent,                   "       "       "                          | 28 75 |
| 26,     | Callie Baker, board E. Holderness<br>school teacher,                      | 6 50  |
| July 1, | Jessie Davison, teaching Prescott<br>school 10 weeks spring term,         | 55 00 |
|         | Winnie Willoughby, teaching E.<br>Holderness school ten weeks,            | 63 50 |
|         | Nora Mudgett, teaching Greenleaf<br>school nine weeks,                    | 40 50 |
|         | Alice M. Paine, bal. due on spring term,                                  | 25 00 |
|         | N. B. Whitten, two cords fitted wood<br>for True school,                  | 8 00  |
|         | R. P. Curry, boarding Bridge school<br>teacher ten weeks,                 | 20 00 |

|         |   |          |
|---------|---|----------|
| July 2, | Mary A. Currier, teaching ten weeks<br>and two days,  | \$ 37 13 |
|         | E. C. Bennett, boarding True school<br>teacher ten weeks spring term,                               | 20 00    |
|         | Eva M. Carr, balance due on spring<br>term ten weeks Carr school,                                   | 28 75    |
|         | Susie Piper, teaching Coxboro school<br>ten weeks,  | 55 00    |
| 4,      | Moses Pickering, work at True school house,   | 2 00     |
| 5,      | Jennie Stickney, teaching Elm school<br>ten weeks spring term,                                      | 60 00    |
|         | Rose Worthen, teaching Beede school<br>ten weeks spring term,                                       | 55 00    |
| Aug. 5, | M. P. Baker, lumber, material and<br>labor repairing E. Holderness<br>school house,                 | 7 95     |
| 11,     | R. P. Curry, school laws printed,<br>three joints funnel and having<br>Bridge school house cleaned, | 3 85     |
| 17,     | Chas. W. Piper, wood furnished E.<br>Holderness school house,                                       | 3 25     |
| 22,     | Frank Cummings, two cords fitted wood,  | 7 00     |
| Nov. 5, | Mary A. Currier, teaching True school<br>ten weeks and car fare,                                    | 37 50    |
| 9,      | Jessie Davison, teaching Prescott<br>school ten weeks fall term,                                    | 55 00    |
|         | N. B. Whitten, wood furnished E.<br>Holderness school   | 72       |
|         | Eva M. Sargent, teaching Carr school<br>ten weeks fall term,  | 55 00    |
| 11,     | Alice M. Paine, teaching Bridge<br>school ten weeks fall term,                                      | 50 00    |
|         | R. P. Curry, boarding Bridge school<br>teacher ten weeks fall term,                                 | 20 00    |
|         | Winnie Willoughby, teaching E. Holder-<br>ness school ten weeks fall term,                          | 70 00    |

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Nov. 11, Jennie Stickney, teaching Elm school         |            |
| ten weeks fall term,                                  | \$ 60 00   |
| 12, Fannie Worthen, teaching Coxboro                  |            |
| school ten weeks fall term,                           | 55 00      |
| Mrs. E. C. Bennett, boarding Coxboro                  |            |
| school teacher 10 weeks fall term,                    | 20 00      |
| 14, Rose Worthen, teaching Beede school               |            |
| ten weeks fall term,                                  | 55 00      |
| Jason Sanborn, wood and supplies                      |            |
| N. Holderness school,                                 | 9 25       |
| Nora Mudgett, teaching Greenleaf school               |            |
| eleven weeks fall term,                               | 49 50      |
| 22, A. B. Willoughby, work on school houses,          | 2 50       |
| Chas. Greenleaf, wood and glass                       |            |
| furnished Greenleaf school,                           | 3 15       |
| Dec. 22, Scott Rogers, 1-2 cord wood Prescott school, | 2 00       |
| 1899.   |            |
| Feb. 8, J. S. Davison, one cord wood and              |            |
| glass for bridge school house,                        | 4 00       |
| 20, Cash on hand as per treasurer's report,           | 59 32      |
|   | <hr/>      |
|   | \$1,167 15 |

WINNIE WILLOUGHBY, { *Board of*  
R. P. CURRY, { *Education.*

Having examined all the foregoing accounts I find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOSEPH W. PULSIFER, *Auditor.*

## **SCHOOL REPORT.**

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### **ELM SCHOOL.**

The spring and fall terms were taught by Miss Jennie Stickney. Roll of honor fall term: Mary E. Smith, Ralph W. Smith.

### **BEEDE SCHOOL.**

Miss Rose G. Worthen was engaged as teacher during the year. Roll of honor spring term: Lena Worthen, Julia Hawkins, Leon Hawkins, Guy Worthen.

Fall term: Nora B. Carr, Bessie Greenleaf, Guy Worthen, Mabel Carr, Irma Worthen, Lena Worthen.

### **CARR SCHOOL.**

Both spring and fall terms taught by Miss Eva M. Sargent. Roll of honor spring term: Herman Benton, Ethel Benton, Jimmie McIntire, Annie McIntire.

Fall term: Zadie Huckins.

### **GREENLEAF SCHOOL.**

Spring and fall terms taught by Miss Nora Mudgett. Roll of honor: Bernard Ames, Walter Greenleaf.

### **ASQUAM BRIDGE SCHOOL.**

Miss Alice M. Paine was engaged as teacher during the year. Roll of honor spring term: Mabel M. York, Edith Sargent, Wesley York, Rodney Evans, Leon Howe.

Fall term: Burt Evans, Leon Howe.

### **PRESCOTT SCHOOL.**

Miss Jessie Davison taught both terms. Roll of honor spring term: Agnes Rogers, Leon S. Rogers.

### **TRUE SCHOOL.**

Miss Mary A. Currier teacher during the year. Roll

of honor spring term: Leona M. Flanders, Susie Smith, Florence Willoughby, Frank Felch, Josie Felch, Bessie E. Smith.

Fall term: Josie M. Felch, Frank Felch, Leona Flanders, Bessie Smith, Susie Smith.

#### EAST HOLDERNESS SCHOOL.

The spring and fall terms taught by Mrs. Winnie Willoughby. Roll of honor: Ethel Piper, Florence Baker, Gertrude Baker, Herbert Baker, Vance Beatty, Maurice Burbank, Clarence Blake, Mary Roberts, Preston Piper, Tolford Piper, Willie Baker, Gladys Piper.

Fall term: Herbert Baker, Willie Baker, Preston Piper, Tolford Piper.

#### COXBORO SCHOOL.

Spring term taught by Miss Sue Piper.

Fall term taught by Miss Fannie Worthen. Roll of honor: Abbie Cummings, Florence Cox, Vance Beatty, Leon Batchelder.

In submitting our report for the year ending Feb. 15, 1899, we are confident that our schools have maintained their usual standard of improvement.

Last year we advanced one step and added one week to our school year, making nineteen weeks of school. This year we have made another stride and swelled the number to twenty weeks.

With even so small a gain, we feel pleased; but to make our schools a success and place them on a level with our neighboring schools we certainly ought to have many more weeks in our school year. Holderness can not afford to neglect her schools. With one hundred children to educate we must give them good schools or else pay for it in the future on the losing side of the account.

It costs no more when once in session for the care and oversight of a term of school twelve weeks in length than it does for eight, neither does it take any more of the teacher's time to get acquainted with the school, review and get ready for examination day, for a long term than for a short one, and we no sooner get well under way in our school when it is time to review and close the term.

With a single exception the teachers engaged for the spring term remained during the year and several had charge of the same school for the fourth and fifth term. The school registers of 1899 show a less number of tardy marks and other absences.

We would call your attention to the fact that in a town where the families are scattered as here, the question of many small schools, or as few as possible with distance to overcome, continually confronts us. We do certainly believe that if some of our schools were united it would be a benefit to the scholars, as a majority of the children in a school of six or seven recite alone and so lose the stimulus of competition with others. We hope the citizens will heartily and generously co-operate with the school board in their efforts to secure the highest possible good of every child in town. There is but little difference in supporting a small school or one of considerable size. The incidental expenses would be about the same in either case. Teachers of ability command nearly the same price whether there be in the school five or twenty-five pupils; therefore if we support nine schools and lengthen our school year, one of two things is inevitable—either the school fund must be increased or we hire cheap, incompetent teachers. Which will you have?

It seems to be quite necessary to make a change in grammars. I believe Swinton's English Grammar has been used in town some seven or eight years and it is no unusual

thing to find a class of two or three studying from one book of a different kind furnished by the teacher.

Many of the school houses need extensive repairs to make them comfortable.

It also seems necessary to purchase one or two new stoves as the old ones are nearly worthless and unsafe.

In closing this brief report we wish to thank the citizens for their hearty support in school matters during the past year.

Respectfully,

WINNIE WILLOUGHBY.

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|--------------------|---|----------------------|
| WINNIE WILLOUGHBY, | } | <i>School Board.</i> |
| R. P. CURRY,       |   |                      |
| JASON SANBORN,     |   |                      |

# STATISTICAL TABLE.

| Name of School. | Term.  | Name of Teacher | No of Pupils | Av Attendance. | No. of Weeks. | Reading. | Spelling. | Pennmanship. | Arithmetic. | Geography. | Grammar. | History. | Composition. | Physiology. | Book-keeping. | Algebra. | No. of visitors. | Roll of Honor | Wages per month including board. |
|-----------------|--------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|----------|-----------|--------------|-------------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|-------------|---------------|----------|------------------|---------------|----------------------------------|
| Elm             | Spring | Jennie Stickney | 13           | 11             | 10            | 18       | 13        | 11           | 9           | 9          | 3        | 4        | 6            | 2           |               |          | 11               | 2             | \$24                             |
|                 |        | Jennie Stickney | 14           | 13             | 10            | 14       | 14        | 11           | 10          | 9          | 3        | 4        | 7            | 2           |               |          | 8                | 2             | 24                               |
| Beede           | Spring | Rosie Worthen   | 12           | 11             | 10            | 8        | 8         | 6            | 6           | 4          | 3        |          |              |             |               | 2        | 15               | 4             | 22                               |
|                 |        | Rosie Worthen   | 13           | 11             | 10            | 11       | 11        | 9            | 9           | 7          | 4        |          |              |             |               | 2        | 14               | 6             | 22                               |
| Carr            | Spring | Eva Sargent     | 15           | 12             | 10            | 15       | 15        | 15           | 15          | 10         | 2        |          |              |             |               |          | 9                | 4             | 23                               |
|                 |        | Eva Sargent     | 16           | 12             | 10            | 16       | 16        | 15           | 16          | 11         | 3        |          |              |             |               | 2        | 12               | 1             | 22                               |
| Greenleaf       | Spring | Nora Mudgett    | 5            | 4              | 10            | 5        | 4         | 4            | 4           | 1          |          |          |              |             |               |          | 16               | 2             | 16                               |
|                 |        | Nora Mudgett    | 8            | 4              | 10            | 5        | 4         | 5            | 4           | 1          |          |          |              |             |               |          | 12               | 2             | 16                               |
| Bridge          | Spring | Alice Paine     | 17           | 16             | 10            | 17       | 17        | 17           | 17          | 14         | 10       | 7        |              | 5           | 2             | 2        | 14               | 5             | 28                               |
|                 |        | Alice Paine     | 20           | 16             | 10            | 18       | 18        | 18           | 18          | 17         | 11       |          |              | 5           | 2             | 1        | 3                | 2             | 28                               |
| Prescott        | Spring | Jessie Davison  | 6            | 6              | 10            | 6        | 6         | 6            | 6           | 4          | 4        | 4        | 4            | 1           | 1             | 1        | 4                | 2             | 22                               |
|                 |        | Jessie Davison  | 6            | 6              | 10            | 6        | 6         | 6            | 6           | 3          | 3        | 3        | 3            | 3           | 3             | 1        | 1                |               | 22                               |
| True            | Spring | Mary Currier    | 10           | 10             | 10            | 8        | 8         | 7            | 7           | 7          |          | 1        |              | 1           |               |          | 19               | 6             | 24                               |
|                 |        | Mary Currier    | 12           | 11             | 10            | 12       | 12        | 12           | 12          | 12         | 10       | 3        | 11           |             |               |          | 14               | 5             | 24                               |
| E Hold'n's      | Spring | Winnie Will'by  | 22           | 21             | 10            | 20       | 22        | 16           | 16          | 8          | 8        | 7        | 3            | 11          | 5             | 3        | 17               | 12            | 28                               |
|                 |        | Winnie Will'by  | 24           | 22             | 10            | 22       | 24        | 20           | 15          | 8          | 9        | 7        | 6            | 9           | 6             | 5        | 24               | 4             | 28                               |
| Coxboro         | Spring | Susie Piper     | 6            | 5              | 10            | 6        | 6         | 6            | 6           | 4          | 2        |          | 2            |             |               |          | 11               |               | 22                               |
|                 |        | Fannie Worthen  | 9            | 9              | 10            | 9        | 9         | 9            | 9           | 8          | 6        | 6        |              | 1           |               | 2        | 2                | 4             | 22                               |

**Births Registered in the Town of Holderness, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1898.**

| Date of Birth<br>1898. | Name of Child<br>(if any) | Sex and condition |                           |                          |       | Name of Father     | Maiden Name of<br>Mother. | Color of<br>Parents. | Residence<br>of<br>Parents | Occupation<br>of<br>Father | Birthplace of<br>Father. | Birthplace of<br>Mother. | Father's Age | Mother's Age |
|------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|-------|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|
|                        |                           | Male or<br>Female | Living<br>or<br>Stillborn | No. child<br>1st, 2d &c. | Color |                    |                           |                      |                            |                            |                          |                          |              |              |
| Jan 5                  | Ruby I Beatty             | F                 | Living                    | 4                        | Wh    | Leroy M Beatty     | Edna G Folsome            | Wh                   | Holderness                 | Farmer                     | Holderness               | Concord                  |              |              |
| Feb 14                 | Lyman Stanley             | M                 | "                         | 9                        | "     | Alfred Stanley     | Mary Bordman              | "                    | "                          | Manufacturer               | Barnet Vt                | Pownall Me               |              |              |
| Mar 5                  | Archie G Huckins          | F                 | "                         | 3                        | "     | Ned G Huckins      | Eva C Carr                | "                    | Ashland                    | Glove maker                | Concord                  | Holderness               |              |              |
| Apr 9                  | Mary Powell               | F                 | "                         | 5                        | "     | James Powell       | Mabel Drake               | "                    | Holderness                 | Laborer                    | Canada                   | Waterville               |              |              |
| May 24                 |                           | M                 | "                         | 1                        | "     | Charles B Berry    | Mary R Livingston         | "                    | "                          | Carpenter                  | Holderness               | Campton                  |              |              |
| " 28                   |                           | "                 | "                         | 1                        | "     | Abel J Grout       | Grace E Preston           | "                    | Plymouth                   | Teacher                    | Newfane Vt               | Natick Mass              |              |              |
| July 27                | Loyd D Perkins            | "                 | "                         | 5                        | "     | John H Perkins     | Eloise L Shaw             | "                    | Holderness                 | Carpenter                  | Holderness               | New Hampton              |              |              |
| Oct 4                  |                           | F                 | "                         | 2                        | "     | Wm B Ames          | Elizabeth K Campbell      | "                    | "                          | Farmer                     | Gilford                  | P E Island               |              |              |
| Nov 15                 |                           | M                 | "                         | 9                        | "     | Horace I Greenleaf | Gertie E Mudgett          | "                    | "                          |                            | Holderness               | Sandwich                 |              |              |
| Dec 24                 |                           | M                 | "                         | 7                        | "     | Lewis Gault        | Ida Randolph              | "                    | "                          | Section man                | "                        | Holderness               |              |              |
|                        |                           |                   |                           |                          |       | Samuel B Berry     | Louisa Denney             | "                    | "                          | Farmer                     | "                        | Newport Vt               |              |              |

**Marriages Registered in the Town of Holderness, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1898.**

| Date—1898 | Place of Marriage | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride | Residence of each at time of Marriage | Age in Years | Color of each | Occupation of Groom and Bride | Place of Birth of each | Name of Parents     | Birthplace of Parents | Occupation   | Times mar'd | Name, residence and, official station of person by whom married |
|-----------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------|---|
| Feb 2     | Bridgewater       | Chas H Palmer                       | Holderness                            | 25           | W             | Painter                       | Campton                | Chas W Palmer       |                       | Farmer       | 1           | J F Babb J of P Ashland   |
|           |                   | Mertie C Ferrin                     | Bridgewater                           | 24           | "             | Teacher                       | Bridgewater            | Eliz'b'th Loveland  |                       | Housewife    | 1           |   |
| June 30   | Meredith          | Frank H Wilder                      | Holderness                            | 31           | "             | Painter                       | Cambridge Mass         | Rachel A Ferrin     |                       | Farmer       | 1           | Rev N C Saunders Meredith                                       |
|           |                   | Clara E Jones                       | "                                     | 26           | "             | Housewife                     | Holderness             | Henry Wilder        |                       | Clerk        | 1           |   |
|           |                   | George A Hunt                       | "                                     | 27           | "             | Farmer                        | Thornton               | Mary L Wilder       |                       | Dressmaker   | 1           |   |
| July 12   | Ashland           | Erma G Pillsbury                    | Bridgewater                           | 18           | "             | Housewife                     | Bridgewater            | Ira M Jones         |                       | Farmer       | 1           | Rev J F Babb Ashland  |
|           |                   | Frank P Pearson                     | Madison                               | 33           | "             | Clergyman                     | Newburyport Mass       | Susan Piper         |                       | Farmer       | 1           |   |
| July 25   | Holderness        | Rose R Sanborn                      | Holderness                            | 30           | "             | Teacher                       | Holderness             | George W Hunt       |                       | Housewife    | 1           |   |
|           |                   | Frank E Schubmehl                   | "                                     | 32           | "             | Doctor                        | Danville N Y           | Kate Hunt Blake     |                       | Farmer       | 1           |   |
| Sept 6    | Holderness        | Rena C DeMeritt                     | Boston Mass                           | 27           | "             | Lady                          | Straford               | D Frank Pillsbury   |                       | Farmer       | 1           |   |
|           |                   | Curtis J Crawford                   | Holderness                            | 26           | "             | Engineer                      | Ashland                | Elsie Pillsbury     |                       | Farmer       | 1           |   |
| Sept 16   | Holderness        | Mamie B Kelley                      | Schaghticoke N Y                      | 18           | "             | Weaver                        | South Adams Mass       | Rhoda A Whittier    |                       | Housewife    | 1           | Rev J Erskine Meredith  |
|           |                   | M Heber Bennett                     | Holderness                            | 25           | "             | Clerk                         | Holderness             | Luther B Sanborn    |                       | Farmer       | 1           |   |
| Nov 24    | Plymouth          | Fannie L Worthen                    | "                                     | 22           | "             | Teacher                       | "                      | Laura J Smith       |                       | Housewife    | 1           |   |
|           |                   | Daniel H Jewell                     | "                                     | 55           | "             | Teamster                      | "                      | Geo W Schubmehl     |                       | Contractor   | 1           | Rev Geo Hodges Cambridge Mass                                   |
| Dec 24    | Cen Ossipee       | Addie J Wilton                      | Center Harbor                         | 41           | "             | Housewife                     | Cent'r Harbor          | Eliz'b'th Schubmehl |                       | Housewife    | 1           | Rev D M Leavitt Ashland   |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | Andrew DeMeritt     |                       | Shoe Man'fr  | 2           |   |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | John M Crawford     |                       | Mail carrier | 2           |   |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | Nancy B Crawford    |                       | Housewife    | 2           |   |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | Michael O Kelley    |                       | Weaver       | 2           |   |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | Kate Kelley         |                       | Housewife    | 1           | Rev F G Clark Plymouth  |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | Stephen D Bennett   |                       | Farmer       | 1           |   |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | Julia M Faine       |                       | Housewife    | 1           |   |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | Warren B Worthen    |                       | Farmer       | 1           |   |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | M Grace Moulton     |                       | Housewife    | 1           |   |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | John Jewell         |                       | Carpenter    | 3           | A M Markey J of P Ossipee                                       |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | Lydia Q Currier     |                       | Housewife    | 2           |   |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | Sylvester Mudgett   |                       | Farmer       |             |   |
|           |                   |                                     |                                       |              |               |                               |                        | Lucinda Smith       |                       | Housewife    |             |   |

Deaths Registered in the Town of Holderness, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1898.

| Date—1898 | Name and Sur-name of deceased | Age   |        |      | Place of Birth | Sex and Conditions |       |                            | Occupation | Cause of Death | Place of Birth |        | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother |
|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|--------|------|----------------|--------------------|-------|----------------------------|------------|----------------|----------------|--------|----------------|-----------------------|
|           |                               | Years | Months | Days |                | Male or Female     | Color | Single, married or widowed |            |                | Father         | Mother |                |                       |
| Jan 27    | Jane P Merrill                | 87    | 10     |      | New Hampton    | F                  | W     | M                          | Housewife  |                |                |        | David Marston  | Sally Piper           |
| Feb 12    | John B Huckins                | 80    | 6      | 21   |                | M                  | "     | "                          | Farmer     |                |                |        | Joseph Banks   |                       |
| Mar 25    | Ann Batchelder                | 85    | 6      | 21   |                | F                  | "     | W                          | Housewife  |                |                |        |                |                       |
| May 17    | Judith P Whitten              | 84    | 6      | 18   | Hooksett       | "                  | "     | "                          | "          |                | England        |        |                |                       |
| " 26      | Han'h J Greenleaf             | 84    | 6      | 18   |                | "                  | "     | "                          | "          |                |                |        |                |                       |
| Jnne 13   | Alfreda A Hennen              | 19    | 10     |      |                | "                  | "     | S                          |            |                |                |        |                |                       |

ROBERT P. CURRY, Town Clerk.





